

## What is the NCI Metathesaurus?

The NCI Metathesaurus expands the UMLS Metathesaurus and encompasses vocabularies specific to NCI as well as all public domain libraries contained in the UMLS Metathesaurus. The Metathesaurus contains over 1 million concepts and more than 2 million terms. The NCI Metathesaurus exists as RRF and can be viewed using an altered version of NLM's MetamorphoSys available from the [EVS download site](#).

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